



tattersalls

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Celebrated chef Paul Merrony raises the bar in Tattersalls dining revolution

at tattersalls

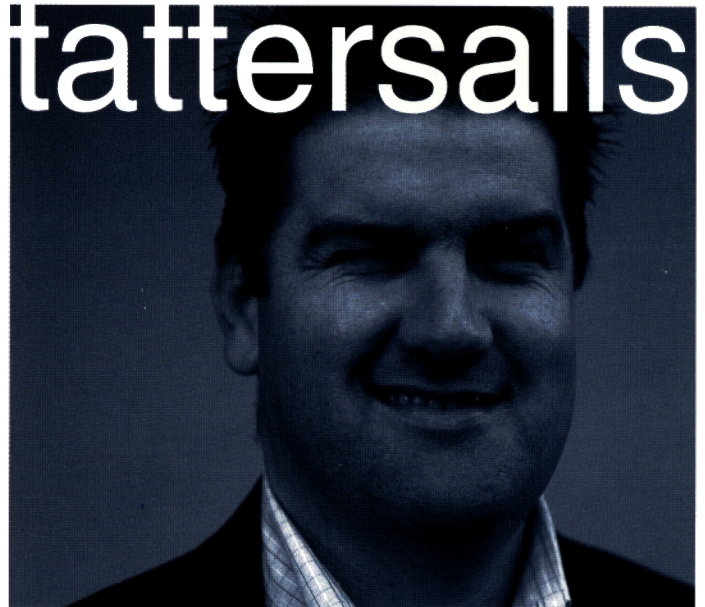
Regulars at the famous Merronys restaurant in Sydney's Rocks know that the man behind the name is one of Australia's most talented chefs. Now, in a stunning coup for the club, Paul Merrony has agreed to spread his talents to become Tattersall's Club Caterer and Executive Chef.

Announcing the new association, Club Chairman Denis Cleary said, "I am very pleased to advise Members that Paul Merrony has been appointed caterer at Tattersall's Club commencing in January. Paul has enormous experience in catering and is renowned as one of the finest chefs in Australia. I am sure members will benefit from his culinary excellence."

Paul will continue to run his celebrated restaurant, but from January will also direct every aspect of food and beverage service at Tattersall's. This will make us the only club in Australia with an internationally acclaimed executive chef - one who can offer members and guests the standards of excellence that's making Sydney's top restaurants the growing envy of the world.

The Merrony philosophy of excellence is simple: the freshest produce, the most talented young chefs trained in the Merrony-style and impeccable service.

Although we are aiming high in standards, prices will be maintained at traditionally modest Tatt's levels and the current choice of dining experiences from the Member's Dining Room, through breakfast, lunch and dinner in the more casual new Brasserie and very casual snacks at the bars and poolside will remain. In addition we will be able to



offer a superb standard of catering at Club functions, or for your personal and corporate entertaining.

Paul said: "I'm not looking to turn Tattersall's into an up market restaurant, what I am committed to doing is creating the very best food - new dishes and old favourites - that will suit everyone. For instance, if we serve something as simple and traditional as pork sausages and mashed potato, I want it to be the best bangers and mash you've ever had. If we create a green curry, I want it to be so good that you demand it stays on the menu forever."

The combination of Paul Merrony's passion for food and the elegance of our newly-renovated dining and bar areas is the latest example of our commitment to maintain and develop Australia's oldest club as the envy of every other club in the country.

Bon appetit!

a perfect combination

Black Tie Boxing scores another sell-out attendance

The evening of Friday October 15 saw another packed function room, as gifted amateurs from city and country stood toe-to-toe through seven top-quality, four round, bouts. To most of the audience, the star of the evening was our own athletic department trainer David Birchell who was cheered from the ring having made his return to the noble art two years after his horrific accident. David is now obviously very fit and never stopped punching to what most considered would have been a win had the fight been judged. The feature Tony Madigan Trophy bout ended with a huge right hook as Shane Dennis took the fight on a TKO from Amid Alimah. Although to many, the beautiful rounds girls were also a knockout.

Articulate Committee Member, Andrew Coorey, was MC. Other well-known members handed out trophies and Acting Club Secretary Tim Bowring (who had gone a few rounds with the media during the day as he tried to explain SOCOG's ticket pricing philosophy to press and TV reporters), auctioned memorabilia which raised \$9,000 for the P.C.Y.C. A fine dinner and wine was enjoyed between the bouts and the aroma of Cuban cigars mingled with the sweet taste of good port.

When your weary correspondent left around midnight to return to a wife who cannot believe that men enjoy nights like this, the bar was still packed with black-tied enthusiasts.

The Club's advice to those who missed out? Reservations are strictly first come, first served - so get in early next time and experience a great night of boxing and fellowship in a tradition of gentlemen's gatherings that goes way back into the last century.

The card

Bout 1.	Michael Mazey v Shane Lotz	80kg
Bout 2	Jamie Carroll v Zar Award	63.5kg
Bout 3	Adam Osbourne v Rabil Zaoud	80kg
Bout 4	Ashley White v Nathan Carter	70kg
Bout 5	Lachlan Ali v Abdul Kamial	85kg
Bout 6	Brendon Batty v Greg Eady	60kg
Main Event	Shane Dennis v Amid Alimah	60kg
Special Exhibition	David Birchell v James Johnston	

Many Members have taken advantage of the Olympic Tickets offer which was negotiated by the Club prior to the public offer. You will recall that the offer was on the back page of the September newsletter, a fact which has been overlooked by the press.

Tattersall's Club approached SOCOG and inquired if the Club, through its members, could purchase tickets. This was a commercial decision made by SOCOG and announced to Members in September.

With the completion of the upgrading of the foyers, Tattersall's Club is now well prepared for the new millennium and beyond. I must thank all Members for their patience and understanding during the renovations and look forward to your enjoyment of the new facilities in the future.

Tim Bowring
Acting Secretary

Harold Baker	Solicitor
Edwin Betar	Student
Kevin Branton	Analyst
Matthew Curll	Solicitor
Martin Dolan	City Care Officer
Tasman Fallshaw	Student
Peter Fitzgerald	Chief Manager - Finance
Greg Goodman	Management Consultant
Val Lorenzelli	General Manager - Finance
James Patterson	Real Estate Agent
Toby Potter	General Manager - Finance
David Sekel	Solicitor
John Sharpe	Barrister
Wilson Wong	Chartered Accountant

Vale
Our deepest sympathy to the family of Col Bowes who passed away on October 8th.

vale. new members. secretary.



tattersalls greets 2000 with a host of sporting events through january and february

calendar of events

january

Jan 1	Members Race Day at Randwick
Jan 4	Athletic Department reopens (Sunday routine until 10 January 2000)
Jan 10	Tattersall's Club reopens
Jan 16	World Short Course Record Attempt, pool
Jan 27	Lightning Snooker Tournament

february

Feb 7	Tickets on sale for Black Tie Boxing
Feb 24	Lightning Snooker Tournament

the Shape of the 2000 Man

(How Vince M. Sees It)

Good dressing doesn't change in big jumps, but the overall look is always getting bigger or slimmer...gradually.

Big airy shirts, bulging trouser pleats and the overgenerous sweater have been expanding their territory for years, says Vince M. Now it's time to slim down a little.

For 2000, pick a shirt that's shaped a little close to the torso, with the collar cut a little higher, without doing a Prince Charles.

Trouser legs have tended to narrow somewhat. If you are a cuff-wearing man, cut the cuffs a little deeper. You might even consider the slimming benefit of a flat-front pleatless trouser! Remind yourself how well you used to look in a single-breasted suit. It's time.

The dark shirt and sober necktie worn with the executive suit will still look good in 2000. The psychedelic necktie is NOT due for resurrection. Trust Vince M.

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sports



Participants from the winning Tatts Race Squad

What a month!

- New spa now in operation.
- Australian Team swimming coach Graham Carroll puts members through their paces in the pool.
- Touch football grand final action.
- Australian water polo team warm-up at athletic department, guided by assistant coach and Tattersall's hall of fame member Christopher Harrison.

Reward yourself with a massage

Regular massage, once a week is a great form of stress release and a way of keeping the body functioning at its optimal potential. For only \$25 you receive a 1/2 hour massage, or for \$45 a full hour, focusing on back, neck, shoulders and legs. Bookings on 9264 5624.

Michael Delaney and David O'Dowd imitating the famous Winfield Cup



touch football.

Summer - a great time to get back in the water

With summer just around the corner, water fitness is essential and what better way to improve yours than by calling into the Athletic Department a few times a week. If it's a swim class you're after, there are 1 hour morning training sessions from 6.45am Mondays and Wednesdays. Join in or ask for guidance from our professional staff.

Summer clothing sale now on!

A stocktaking clearance is now on in the Athletic Department, with some fantastic savings on Tattersall's merchandise.



A few participants from the winning team

Touch football fever

The post-match scenes were reminiscent of rugby league history when an eerie Arthur Summons and Norm Provan image occurred as caretaker captain "Irish" Mike Delaney and David O'Dowd exchanged pleasantries after the game. The final result: the R.G. invitational XV victors 3-1 in a hard-fought tussle. But it's not over yet! Daylight saving sees 'State vs State and mate vs mate' with the inaugural 6am v's 7.15am charity shield. Members enrol now at the AD reception.



Athletic Department timetable from November 1999

As we lead into the new millennium, now is the time to put in the effort to look and feel great. Become part of the positive atmosphere this summer with membership of the Athletic Department. All new members will receive a free assessment, program and regular guidance. Start now - phone Paul Collins on 9264 5624

Operational hours:

Mon - Fri 5.30am - 9pm

Sat: 6am - 6pm

Sun: noon - 5pm



Australian swim coach Graham 'Grub' Carroll with fitness gurus Michael Rowland Smith and Paul Collins

time	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday	sunday
6.00 am	running	boxing	circuit	spinning	circuit		
6.45 am	swim class		swim class				
7.15 am		boxercise		boxercise	spinning		kids' day
12.40 pm	spin/box	spinning	circuit	spinning	boxercise		day
1.00 pm		swim club		swim club			
6.00 pm	circuit		spinning		spin/box		
6.30 pm		boxercise		boxercise			

Running Group - improve your fitness as you run around Sydney Harbour

Swim Class - beginner, intermediate and advanced, aimed at improving stroke and fitness levels.

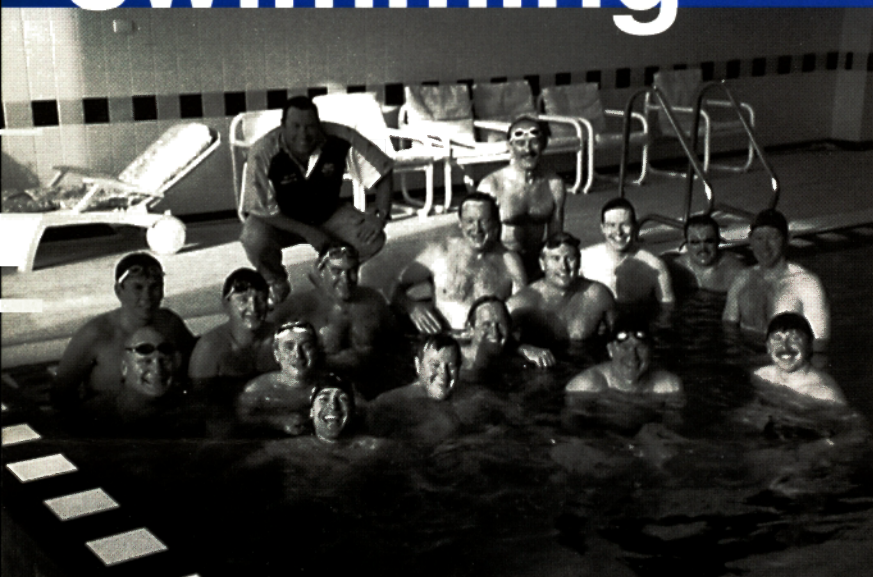
Spinning - stationary cycling class to music. Great way to burn calories.

Boxercise - one of the fastest ways to get fit using a combination of bag work, skills and drills in circuit training format.

Circuit - cross training circuit for all fitness levels, great for overall body workout.

Spin/Box - stationary cycling and boxing class in one.

swimming



Swim Session followed by Athletic Department Breakfast

Results of the Month 9 Manchester Unity Award are:

1.	A. Torok	31
2.	I. Lemmey	28
3.	B. Hudson	24

Year to date points for the season are :

50m.

1.	I. Lemmey	229
2.	K. Glover	210
3.	P. Thiel	208 1/2

100 m.

1.	I. Lemmey	186
2.	P. Thiel	167
3.	K. Glover	159

The Two Tatts Race held at Tattersall's Club on October 6, resulted in a comfortable victory to the home squad, seeing the silverware return to its rightful place. Congratulations to the victors.

Coming events:

18.11.99	Christmas Scramble
25.11.99	Tattersall's Swimming Club
2.12.99	Swimmers' Christmas Lunch: Club Dining Room 12.30 for 1 pm

Championships.

Please note: qualifications are 3 swims minimum during the season and current financial membership

Vale Col Bowes

A Life Member of Tattersalls Club, Col Bowes passed away in his sleep on Friday, 8th of October. Col was well-known and a friend to many having been the Convener of Tattersalls Swimmers since he succeeded the late Sam Block.

Col was educated at Scots College, went into the softgoods industry and when his career was interrupted by World War 2, entered the RAAF becoming a pilot and later an instructor. He joined Tattersall's in 1954.

A devoted family man, Col had a keen interest in sports - as well as swimming, he was a regular golfer at Royal Sydney and a keen supporter of Randwick Rugby Union.

Members extend their deepest sympathies to his brother Leigh and other family members.



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snooker



Left to right - Brae Antcliff and Adrian Abbott in the snooker club chairs.

Walter Lindrum Facility Opening

The world's greatest billiards exponent is being recognised by Tatts with the naming of the new Billiards and Snooker facilities in his honour. The opening celebrations will be held on the evening of Friday November 19, when an exhibition of billiards and trick shots will be provided by member Eddie Charlton and Club Professional Joe Minici in the new Match Room. Photographic displays of Club identities Nick Shehadie, Peter Twigg, Arthur O'Connor, Eddie Charlton, Doug Jordan and Norm Rogers will be unveiled in the Club Room.

7.00 pm for 7.30pm Dinner.

Followed by Exhibition.

Cost \$50.00 - Booking phone 9264 6111

Championship

Eddie Crane reached the final of the Snooker Championship, defeating Andrew Griffin 2-0 in the semi-final. In his previous match, Eddie made a 30 point break in the deciding frame to beat John Gowran after being one frame and 49 points down. Eddie's son Robbie defeated three times champion John Simpson 2-1 in another quarter-final with breaks of 30 and 28 in the deciding frame. Robbie now plays Jeff Woollard in the other semi, the outcome of which could result in the first father vs son final in the Club's history.

Join Us

Any member interested in the snooker or billiards activities, or who wants to learn the game, please don't hesitate to ask Club Pro Joe Minici. Hours are 12 noon to 6pm Mon-Fri in the 3rd floor Walter Lindrum Billiard Room.

Good cueing, Yours truly

Joe Minici.

P.S. Keep your head down when striking. Your eyes should follow the ball to be potted - not the white!

snooker

snooker championships



events

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MENU 1

Entree

Smoked Tasmanian ocean trout served on mixed leaves, an avocado and roasted capsicum salsa, topped with a dill flavoured sour cream.

Main Course

Fillet of turkey breast glazed with a macadamia nut and red currant jus, served with seasonal vegetables and potato.

Dessert

Individual Christmas pudding with brandy anglaise and summer berries, or macadamia nut tart with King Island cream.

Freshly brewed coffee, or tea with chocolates.

Beverage package included.

\$89.00

MENU 2

Entree

Pepper crusted veal tenderloin on baby leaves with grilled vegetables and chilled plum vinaigrette.

Main Course

Atlantic salmon fillet baked with basil pesto, served on a champagne butter sauce.

Dessert

Individual Christmas pudding with brandy anglaise and summer berries, or lemon and lime tartlet with caramelised fruits and King Island cream.

Freshly brewed coffee, or tea with chocolates.

Beverage package included.

\$95.00

BEVERAGE PACKAGE

Australian sparkling wine.

Premium house red.

Draught beer.

Orange juice.

Soft drinks and mineral water.

MEMBER'S SPECIAL

Book your Christmas function before November 11 and receive an option to upgrade your wine selection, or complimentary canapes on arrival.

Lunch with Murray Gleeson AC

Friday 26th November. 12 for 12.30pm

The Honourable Murray Gleeson AC, Chief Justice of the High Court of Australia, will be guest speaker at Tattersall's lunch on Friday November 26.

An old-boy of Joeys, A.M. Gleeson was admitted to the New South Wales Bar in 1963, to begin a career in law that has celebrated many highlights.

He was appointed Queen's Counsel in 1974, President of the NSW Bar Association in 1984 and 1985, Created an OA in 1986, Chief Justice of New South Wales in 1989, Honorary Master of the Bench, Middle Temple 1989, Lieutenant-Governor of NSW also in 1989, Companion of the Order of Australia for services to the Law and Crown in 1992 and finally on the 22nd of May 1998, Chief Justice of Australia.

Lunch will consist of 2 courses and cheese. This is sure to be a packed event so book now through the Secretary's Office on 9264 6111.

Cost \$80.00

tattersalls club christmas menu

murray gleeson lunch